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POTOSI, MO.

The Hot Stuff on Town Building.

This is a telerably free country and if people want to send away to mail order houses for their goods they have a perfect right within the law to do so.

Moreover, the same right extends to the merchants, and if they want to place their advertising and job printing orders with printing establishment other than the ones of their home town. there is no law denying them the privilege.

home town newspapers that the last Saturday morning. It was the This lecture will show some of the home town people should give them preference over entside concerns of similar character?

Of what account are stores and newspapers to a town anyway?

and your kind have put out of business all the stores and print shops of your town you will see what a fine place a storeless and newspaperless town is.

Turn the business section of your town into pig pens and cow sheds and see hew quick your residence property will enhance Louis Martin, Quaker; Patrick in value and how all smart people will rush to the place to live and around and have a good

The way to build up your town fast is to knock and dead beat and do everything else possible in St. Louis last Thursday was one to January 6, 1916. against the little old merchants Sam Dinning and Miss May Davidson and newspapers and other lines of Poplar Bluff, Mo. Sam is the Esther Girl Held For Death of Child. of business in your home town youngest son of Judge L. F. Dinning, and boost the stores, print shops and other business lines of other

Why should you care for any thing or anybody in your little eld home town anyway? So be wise guy and work for the advancriment of your residence property values and rentals by doing your best to smash everything in your little old home town that even tries to look like busi-

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Caterra Cure.

Catarth Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Tolede, O.
We, U.e undersigned, have known F. J.
Cheney for the last B years, and believe
that a factly honorable in all business
transsections and financially able to carry
out are obligations made by hir firm.
As a ONAL BANK OF COMMERCE.
Hatt- Catarth Cure is taken intermally,
acting freetly upon the blood and mucouts to fiaces of the system. Testimonials
sent the Price & cents per bottle. Sold
by all I engrish.
Take Unit's Family Pills for constipation.

Armenian kingdom is bound up in the history of Am. The stronghold city came the capital of the Bagratid thousands, a wealthy city and an invit-ing one. The Seljuk Turks carried fire and sword throughout its confines 15 years later; the warlike Georgians took it five times between 1125 and 1309; the Mongole overran it in 1229 and an carthquake in 1319 completed

LOCAL STEMS

It's a wet winter all right.

Floyd Lynch of Hopewell was in Po The days are already about three

Chas. Clancy of Barytes, was on ou streets Tanday.

Oh those concrete sidewalks, when will we get them?

You are not tashionable if you haven't the grippe. The warm rains lately have started

the grass to growing. Mr. Walter Long of Cadet was on

our streets Thursday last. Walter Martin of Dyersburg, Pa., is

new reader of the Journal. Mrs. M. E. Rhodes spent the latte

part of last week in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Bell visited in St.

Louis, Saturday and Sunday last. The Washington County Bank has our thanks for a large, handsome wall

Let those announcements for office come early. Remember, there is s prize in every package.

The thermometer was down to six above zero Saturday morning, the low record of the winter so far.

Mrs. W. M. Prater returned home Saturday evening from a week's visit to her mother at Poplar Bluff.

Probate Judge Blount is compelled to navigate on sticks these days by an attack of the rheumatism.

It is said that you can avoid the grippe by going without kisses. But who wants to avoid it that way?

relatives at Belgrade, his old home

Mr. Thos, Campbell of Bates Creek was a caller at this office Monday and had his subscription marked up to May, 1917.

Listen! If its something new in Winter Merchandire you want at the lowest cash price, we have it. Maxwell's Dry Goeds Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mr. Lewis Smith left for their home in Oakland, Calif., last Friday, after spending a week with relatives here.

The boys enjoyed a few brief me-What are home town stores and ment's skating on Townsend's pond first time the pond had been fresen over this winter.

guest of his sister, Mrs. Jos. Diemer ed for. We would like everybody to Elma Cordia. Richwoods, this week. This is Mr. Weber's first be there. visit to Elvine in 15 years and he was "Go it Beots!" Send off from greatly surprised at the many changer Back to Old Mizzou your home town for everything that have taken place. - Elvine items

> Ed. S. Casey of Kansas City and L. Editor Potosi Journal W. Weiler of Jefferson City, examinclerk's and recorder's office, severing ful post in the heart of the Black Hills.

Murphy, Old Mines; Rev. C. J. Hornsey; W. J. Casey, R. F. D. No. 1, enlistment completed. Potosi.

Among the marriage licenses issued fermerly of this place. His many friends here will wish him much bappiness and good luck in his venture upon the matrimonial sea.

there are 855 people living within her city limits. The census of 1910 gave the town a population of 848, which the town a population of 848, which was in the toilet. She will likely be are reported there. Potosi may not be able to beat Bismarck's showing in population, but we have no vacant houses here, although we are building ington News. new ones right along.

After 30 years service as Farm Maneger for the B. T. F. & C. Co., W. J. Hobbs is laying aside the responsibilities of that office and W. R. Nesbitt, a young man from the Illinois University has been employed to take his place. The retirement of Mr. Hobbs comes as a relief from the ard goes duties which he has performed so long. Thirty years is a long span of time and during that time he has kept close to his lob and it is needless to say that the office required close attention every day in the year. Mr. Hobbs has been

Young men, we have the new style Mes, with the slip-easy band. invite you to see them. Maxwell's Dry Goods Store.

Jesse James, colored, was shet and instantly killed at Festus one day re-cently by John Phillips, alls "Ferch," another negro, who found James in the room of Cora Kises, a colored roman to who both were paying atentions. Phillip displayed a deadly markmanships with his gun, for he planted ave bullets in James' breast se close together that all the holes sould easily be covered with the palm

A Record December Collection.

after the shoeting.

of a hand. Philips made his escape

County collector George Carr report the total collections of his office for the month of December, 1915, at \$47, 317.61. The total collection for December, 1914, were \$45,682.51, and for De oember, 1918, \$42,658.29.

WANTED.

A man of good health and habits to stay on small farm, one between fifty five and sixty years, and single. Good home: no drinking man need answer C. L. Van Siekle, Irondale, Mo.

Irondale Road Bond Issue Wins.

The election held in the Irondale Special Road District last Saturday for the purpose of passing upon the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$15,000 for road improvement resulted in a vote of 140 for the bond issue and 68 against it.

Married.

Mr. Joseph D. Declue, the popular clerk at Casey and Cordia's store in Potosi, was united in marriage on Tuesday, January, 12th, to Miss Elma Cordia of Richwoods, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride, Billy Mason of Irwin, Kan., was in The young couple will make their Potosi Friday last on his way to visit home here. We wish them both the greatest happiness in their new life and may prosperty attend them throughout the journey.

Presbyterian Church.

Services on Sunday, Jenuary 16th: Morning at 11 a. m., "Rest for the Weary." Evening at 7:30 p. m. 'Judas." A character study.

Stereopticon Lecture?

On Wednesday, January 12th, at work being accomplished by the missionaries in the Hermit Kingdom. There will be nothing charged for ad-Mr. George Weber of Potosi is the mission, and no collection will be ask- Joseph D. Deelue

When He Gets Through.

Enclosed find one dollar for which ers from the State Auditor's office, are send me the Journal forone year. We here auditing the books of the circuit are stationed at Fort Neade, a beautithe work of the term of John L. Short. It is also a historical post, having -Wayne County Journal, Greenville. once been the headquarters of Gen. Among our renewals the past week Guster. We are just twenty miles east are W. M. Spradling, Bonne Terre; of Deadwood, S. D. We came up here from Fort Wingate, New Mexico, in Ootober 1914, but after all there's no Hornsey, Cuba, Mo; J. W. Towie, St. placelike dear old Washington County,

John L. Charboneau. Troop K-12th U. S. Cav. Fort Meade, S. D.

A coroner's jury at Flat River Wednesday investigated the death of an in- they are doing some drilling. The fant boy baby taken from the vault of operations here will be suppended for are trying to help the farmers, and the toilet at the home of Richard Dun- a few weeks. Lon Florence, a well known young can at Esther at 10 o'clock that morn' Thos. B. Self, a life long citizen of again and give us another freedinner, very lame back. Every time I a certain deed of trust by H. A. Sloan fruggist of Desloge, is in trouble with ing and found that the child cameto its this place, died very mexpectedly last which is all very nice, but does not go stooped. I had a pain in my back. the sounty authorities overthere on ac- death by drowning after being thrown Saturday night about 10 o'clock, with far enough. Sam told us that our up- Doans Kidney Pills did me more the deed of trust records of Washingcount of having sold "sunshine" con- in the vault of the toilet by its mother, pneumonis. He had only been com- lands were acid to start with, and trary to the law. It might be well to Ethel Duncan, the 17 year old un- plaining for a day or so previous to nearly every farmer who sows wheat mention that the "sunsnine" in ques- married daughter of Mr. and Mrs. his death. ile was a native of this uses the cheapest fertilizer, which is ever used and I give them the acres are also described in a certain tion is the name of a certain brand of Richard Duncan. News of the affair town and was a Union veteran. He made of rock phospate with sulphuric credit for making me well." booze, which the local option law in- became public early Wednesday morn- was married on December 2nd last to said poured over it, which makes our Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't cludes in the list of intoxicating ing when a physician was called to the Miss Vala Ramsey of this place. Bismarck has just had a census of birth to a child during the night, but Road District held here last Saturday.

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Casebolt Postmaster in Bad.

C. H. Casebolt, postmaster and merwest part of Iron county, is in trouble with the postoffice authorities. Casebolt, who is well known in the western himself during the prevailing hard times by issuing money orders to himself and paying them out of the re- gave us certainly tasted good. ceipts of the post office. He also settied his bills for goods bought for his improved his land and increased his per cent phosphate at \$22 per ton. store with money orders, incidentally a valuable and loyal employee according to place in the amount for which each order calling to a statement made by an effect of the company and his service has not perfect curvival, was found in 1010, just at the beginning of the company and his service has not been greatly appreciated.—Bon no Boose seems to have played an important of missorium.

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FIRST CHANCE 1916 **BLOUNT & BUST**

Will Sell Sugar, Coffee, Flour, Meal and Salt

AT NET COST TO THEM

Some will say: "How can they do this and pay rent?" Our object in doing this is to get more customers coming to our store so that we may sell them other goods as cheap or cheaper than they can buy them elsewhere, as we carry a Full Line of General Merchandise and expect to increase our stock and sell on as close a margin as we can afford to. We are out to win trade in

Dry-Goods, Notions, Ladies Suits and Coats, Hats and Underwear: Men's Suits and Overcoats, Hats, Caps and Underwear, etc.; Men's and Ladies' Shoes. Rubbers, Overshoes; Groceries, Harness.

In fact, we are going to keep a full line of supplies to fill all demands; to buy and sell at prices that will get us many new customers during the year of 1916. We figure that 1916 is going to be a Banner Year for business.

AND REMEMBER

That we are prepared to handle all the Poultry, Eggs, and other produce that comes to Potosi, for which we Pay Top Prices In CASH, not in trade. Of course we are always anxious to sell you goods when you bring your produce, and we will always sell as cheap or cheaper than the other fellow. Just give us a trial.

Thanking our customers for their liberal patronage during the year 1915, and wishing all a happy and prosperous New Year, we remain YOURS TO PLEASE,

BLOUNT & BUST.

Indianapolis, Indiana.

MARHLAGE LICENSES.

Potosi, Me.

Irondale.

on business Monday. Mr. Grant Huitt of Caledonia made a trin to the Lead Belt last week.

Mr. Charles Farmer of Bellevue was in our town the first of the week. day last.

Irondale visitors last Tuesday.

recently, left for St. Louis Tuesday. Mrs. T. M. Finley and children of

of Caledonia. for Newberg, Mo., last Monday, where lasts a lifetime,

A Few Remarks By Mr. "Phoole."

Editor Journal:

corn crop by planting cow-peas and grazing them down with sheep. I politics alone and try to educate the

Man past 50, with horse and buggy, so much range to sun over." Sheep to sell Stock Condition Powder in kept in pasture soon get diseased and 7:20 p. m. a stereoptican lecture, en-titled "Korea" will be given in the basement of the Presbyferian Church. month. Address 9, Industrial Bldg., of my sheep were missing and after hupting around nearly all day I found about three pounds of wool, too dirtyto take home. Of course, all the dog owners said it was the wolves, because a wolf howled around up there once apon a time. A neighbor of mine kept

his sheep in a pasture and one night the dogs killed nearly all of them. by his bark, but the dog owner said know that pigs die with the cholera, a green old age.

cow-peas in my corn I could not find thing about it, and oblige. any lambs to graze them down. But Prosecuting Attorney Cooper of Po- there are other ways of improving tosi had legal business here on Mon- land. Cyril Hopkins of the filineis Experiment Station bought some Mr. Charles Robinson and Mrs. land in southern Illingis, from the Henry Province of Leadwood were description of which I should say was the same as our upland. The land Mrs. Cooper, the evangelist who held as it was would raise from 6 to a bush-Louis, Mo., and N. A. Maxwell, R. P. Mo. Me for there as soon as I get this a revival at the Nazearean church here els of wheat per acre, but by applying ground limestone and raw phospate rock he made it produce 30 bushels. The raw phospate can be bought in Oran, Mo., are visiting Mrs. Finlov's Tennossee at \$4 per ton f. o. b. We parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Williams, have plenty of limestone in this county which a concern that manufactures Alvin Wishon and William Forrester stone pulverizers says can be ground of this place, who have been operating into dust at a cost of 50 cents per ton a diamond-drill in this vicinity, left The pulverizer costs about \$100 and

> Now, the business men of Potosi will probably bring Sam Jordan on the kidney accretions and had a being the same 100 acres described in land still more acid, so that we have sary two thirds of the total vote cast, sort of experiment farm in each dis trict. When the crops on these farms would be at their best, some man who can talk should take the farmers to those farms and tell them all about the experiment. Missourisns want to great function in life is evidently to I went to hear Sam Jordan speak at be shown. There is not one farmer in the Farmers' Day meeting held in twenty who can tell you what the ferchant at Gasebolt, over in the north Potosi a few weeks ago and sujoyed tilizer he uses analyses. One neigheverything fine, especially the ham bor told me he did not pay any attenand weenies at the noon lunch. I tion to that, he only knew how much had not seen any meat all summer fertilizer he needed and then tried to part of this county, essed things for except the chunk meat they sell at get it at the cheapest price. Some Peoria at 13 cents per pound, and people don't know that bonemeal such meat as the Paosi business men which contains as high as 28 per cent phosphate and sells for \$35 per ton is Sam made a nice talk on how he cheaper than fertilizer analyzing ?

If our county papers would let fool

"Well Begun Is Half Done,"

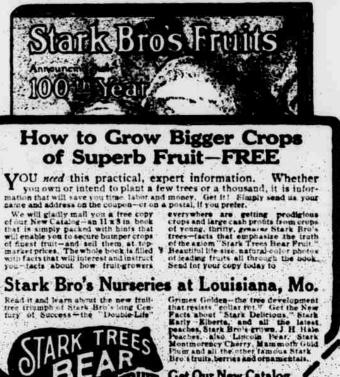
BUT ONLY HALF.

The New Year will bring to you comfort and blessings just in proportion to your own efforts in industry and economy.

THE WASHINGTON COUNTY BANK

Is in a position to help you take advantage of the opportunities that will come to you in

1916



Since 1816

Stork Bro's Want Good Salesmen - Cash Commission Paid Weekly floods the next are caused by the Dem-He thought he knew one of the dogs ocrats being in power, and we also his dog slept in the house that night, turkers with the blackhead and that

> ADAM PHOOLE. Peoria, Mo.

ALL WRONG.

The Mistake is Made by Many Potosi Citizens.

Look for the cause of backache. To be cured you must know

Measure of Laughter.

A meter for laughter is the latest invention of commercialized drama. The device registers automatically and in degree the amount of laughter induced by moving picture films. It is some monopolized by the movies. Its one check up the applause and laughter rethrough the columns of the Congres sional Record, much to the chagrin of blushing veracity. The machine we really need, however, is one which registers the spirit of humor and not the effect. It would save humanity many weary moments if the inveterate story teller could first try his stuff out on a machine instead of his long suffering friends. It would not do, however, t have this machine around when the politicians are making their promises to their constituency of congenital

Trustee's Sale.

Whereas, H. A. Sloan and Lucy So the sheep owner sold off what goose eggs wen't hatch because Roose. Sloan, his wife, by their certain deed sheep he had left and the dog lived to velt was once president of these Unit- of trust, dated the 23rd day of Decemed States, but we don't know about ber, 1914, and recorded in the office of So you see, dear School, if I sowed fertilizers. So please tell us some the recorder of Washington County, Missouri, in book "P," at page 417 records of deeds of trust of said county. conveyed to H. E. Blount as trustee, all their right, title, interest and estate in and to the following described real estate, lying and being in the said County of Washington and State of Miscouri, to-wil: ..

A part of Spanish Grant No. 1847. described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a state corner on the north side of said Spanish Grant No. 1847. thence running south 17 chains and 20 links to a post; thence south, 82 de-If it's weak kidneys you must grees rest, 36 chains and 67 links, inset the kidneys, working right, terseeting the eastern boundary line of A Potosi resident tells you how said Spanish Grant No. 1847; thence H. C. Guyton, wagon maker, Po. running north along said line to the toni, says. "I was having trouble No. 1847, thence north 82 degree west, with my kidneys some time ago, 56 chains and 67 links, to the place of I had to get up at night to pass beginning, containing 100 acres, and and Lucy Sloan to the Bank of Potosi. dood by James F. Ranadell and Mary E. Rausdell to H. A. Sloan and wife, of record in Book 52, at page 505 of the simply ask for kidney remedy, deed records of said county and state,

to W. W. Gibson, by deed of record in Book 55, at page 640 of the deed records of Washington County, Missouri. Said conaveynce being made to eecure the payment of a certain promissory note, in said deed of trust described; and whereas said note has become due and remains unpaid. I. the undersigned trustee, in accordance with the provisions of said trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, will proceed to sell the above described real estate at the court house door, in the city of Potosi, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 224, 1916, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said gote and the costs of executing this trust. H. E. BLOUNT, Trustee.

December 29, 1915.

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